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Dear Jim:

This Division has reviewed the Pump Test Work Plan (OU2 Task 3) for the Central Landfill in Johnston, Rhode Island. The Department approves the technical aspects of this work plan. However, as we have previously discussed, any discharges of pretreated groundwater from the hazardous waste disposal area to the Cranston POTW must comply with the permit-by-rule requirements set forth under 40 CFR 270.60. Of specific concern is the status of the Cranston facility's compliance with RIPDES permitting requirements. Paul Guglielmino with the Division of Water Resources may be contacted at (401) 277-6519 concerning the Cranston facility's compliance status.

Additionally, the Department requests a detailed schedule of activities proposed under this work plan and would ask for two weeks notice prior to the commencement of field activities.

If there are any questions or comments please feel free to contact me.

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Division of Site Remediation

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